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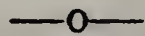
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# NEW HAMPSHIRE



CAPT. JOHN MASON was the founder of New Hampshire. He was a merchant and shipmaster, and became a friend of the Duke of Buckingham, himself a royal favorite, and so he prospered, and received favors, appointments, and lands from the crown. For several years Capt. Mason was governor of Portsmouth, England, and at his house in that city Buckingham was assassinated in 1628.

In 1622 Mason received from the Council for New England a grant of all the land between the Naumkeag and Merrimack Rivers, which he proposed to call Mariana. Later in the same year he and Sir Ferdinando Gorges received a grant of all the land between the Merrimack and Kennebec Rivers, extending 60 miles inland, which they called the Province of Maine. In 1629 Mason alone received a grant of the land between the Merrimack and Piscataqua Rivers, and this he called New Hampshire, his home being in Hampshire, England. The territory east of the Piscataqua was assigned to Gorges, and both grantees entered enthusiastically upon plans for settling their new domains.

On Nov. 17, 1629, only ten days after the grant of New Hampshire to Capt. Mason, a



great tract of land covering practically the same coast limits, but extending inland to what is now Lake Champlain, was granted to Mason and Gorges together, and called Laconia. The reason for this grant is not clear.

And so New Hampshire came into being.

In 1623 a Scotchman named David Thomson made the first settlement in New Hampshire at Pannaway, now Little Harbor in the town of Rye, but Rye was not made a separate town until 1726, being previously a part of Portsmouth and later of Newcastle. Dover people claim that at the same time the two Hiltons, William and Edward, made a settlement there, but this claim lacks proof.

Portsmouth was originally called Strawberry Bank, referring to the quantity of strawberries then found growing on the side of the low hill on which St. John's church now stands, probably about the place lately occupied by the Portsmouth Brewing Co. The original town included all the territory now in Portsmouth, Newcastle, Rye, Greenland, and Newington.

Brian Pendleton and others, in behalf of the settlement at Strawberry Bank, petitioned the General Court at Boston in May, 1653, for an enlargement of territory and a new name for the town, in which petition they say "the place being settled a plantation the first of any in





these parts \* \* \* that all the neighboring plantations about us, which were settled since wee, have their townships settled and bounded, onely wee as yett have none \* \* \* And whereas the name of this plantation att present beinge Straberry banke accidentally soe called by reason of a banke where Straberries was found in this place. Now your petitioners Humble desire is to have it called Portsmouth, being a name most suitable for this place, it beinge the River's mouth & and a good [harbor] as any in this land." [N. H. Prov. Papers, vol. 1, p. 208.]

Thomson's settlement at Little Harbor was not permanent, and he soon departed for Massachusetts. Thomson's Island in Boston Harbor is named after him. During the six or seven years following Thomson's settlement a few people probably came over, but of these there is no record. It was not until 1631 that Mason and Gorges made an organized effort to settle their lands. In that year Mason sent over a shipload of supplies and a band of settlers under Capt. Walter Neale, consisting of 50 men, 8 Danes, and 22 women. The names of these men are preserved, and may be found in N. H. Prov. Papers, vol. 1, p. 113.

Capt. Mason invested many thousands of pounds in his attempts to permanently settle his province, expecting a large profit from fish,





lumber, and furs, and he had a hope that valuable minerals and metals might be found, but he not only failed to make any profit, but lost all of his investment. He died in 1635, and shortly afterwards his stewards and servants took possession of all his personal property here, and divided it among themselves to satisfy their claims for unpaid wages. Having no son, his estate went to his wife and his grandson, who was then an infant, and, of course, nothing more was done and no care taken of the property until the child became of age.

But settlers came independently, and the colony grew slowly, and it has been growing slowly ever since.

The oldest towns in New Hampshire are Portsmouth, Dover, Hampton, and Exeter. The further history of New Hampshire is interesting and very complicated, and we will not consider it at present. We have the colony founded, and permanent settlement established, and here we will leave it.

New Hampshire is an old and historic state, first settled in 1623, only three years after the landing of the Pilgrims on Plymouth Rock, and is one of the thirteen original states.

New Hampshire is larger than Massachusetts, its area being 9,336 square miles, while that of Massachusetts is 8,315 square miles. New Hampshire is, therefore, larger by over





1,000 square miles, equal to a district 50 miles long and 20 miles wide.

There are nearly twice as many people in the city of Boston as in the whole state of New Hampshire. By the census of 1920 the population of New Hampshire was 443,083, and of Boston 747,923.

There are enough automobiles and trucks in New Hampshire to take all the people in the state out to ride at the same time, allowing five persons to each car.

Mount Washington is the third highest mountain east of the Rocky Mountains. It is 6,288 feet high, nearly  $1\frac{1}{4}$  miles. Mount Mitchell in North Carolina is about 500 feet, and Clingman's Dome in Tennessee about 350 feet higher.

The Mount Washington railroad is the first cog-wheel railroad ever built anywhere. It was completed to the summit in 1869, and has been in operation ever since.

The Old Man of the Mountain is one of the most wonderful works of nature in the world, and was venerated by the Indians as a manifestation of the Great Spirit. It is.

New Hampshire was the first of the thirteen original states to declare its independence of Great Britain and to adopt a constitution. This was done Jan. 5, 1776, six months before the adoption of the Federal Declaration of Independence.



The first aggressive act of the Revolution, the first armed resistance to Great Britain, occurred in New Hampshire, when a small party under the command of John Langdon and John Sullivan captured Fort William and Mary in Newcastle Dec. 14, 1774, and removed the powder and guns. Some of this powder was used by the American army in the battle of Bunker Hill.

The capture of the fort was the result of a message brought to Portsmouth by Paul Revere, announcing the decree of the British government prohibiting the exportation of arms and ammunition to the American colonies.

In the battle of Bunker Hill two-thirds of the American forces were New Hampshire troops. The other third was divided. Col. John Stark's strategy in guarding the retreat saved the American army from disaster.

Gen. John Stark's victory over Burgoyne's army at Bennington in 1777 undoubtedly saved the nation. Had Burgoyne been successful in cutting down through Vermont and effecting a junction with the British army from New York, all New England would have been separated from the rest of the states, and the British could have conquered the divided sections at their leisure.

Gen. John Sullivan's expedition against the Indians in 1779 again saved the nation, for he utterly destroyed the power of the Six Nations





and so enabled Washington to carry on his campaigns without fear of interference from the north.

Col. Alexander Scammell of Durham was Adjutant-General of Washington's main army from 1778 to 1781.

Tobias Lear of Portsmouth was Gen. Washington's private secretary from 1786 until Washington's death in 1799.

Josiah Bartlett, delegate from New Hampshire was the first man to sign the Declaration of Independence, after the official signature of John Hancock as President of Congress.

It was New Hampshire that made the constitution of the United States operative. Ratification by two-thirds of the thirteen states was necessary for its adoption, and New Hampshire was the ninth and deciding state.

John Langdon of Portsmouth was the first acting Vice-President of the United States. He was President of the Senate when Washington was elected first President of the United States.

The first free public library in America was the Dublin Juvenile Library, established in 1822. It was supported by voluntary contribution, but the use of it was free to all.

The first free public library in America supported by public taxation was the Peterborough Town Library, established in 1833.

John Dickson, born in Keene, a member of





Congress from New York, made the first anti-slavery speech in Congress in 1835.

The first man killed in the Civil War was a New Hampshire man, Luther C. Ladd, born in Alexandria. He was a member of the 6th Mass. Inf., and was killed when that regiment was attacked in Baltimore April 19, 1861.

The world is indebted to New Hampshire for three great astronomers, Charles A. Young, born in Hanover, John R. Eastman, born in Andover, and Solon I. Bailey, born in Lisbon.

The Pillsbury-Washburn flour mills in Minneapolis, Minn., largest in the world, were founded by John S. Pillsbury, born in Sutton, George A. Pillsbury, born in Sutton, and Charles A. Pillsbury, born in Warner.

Boston University had its origin in Concord in the Methodist General Biblical Institute, which was located in the old North church building, where the Walker school now stands. The Institute was closed in 1868 and moved to Boston, where it became the nucleus of Boston University.

Bates College was founded by Oren B. Cheney, born in Holderness. He was its first President.

Rev. Laban Clark, born in Haverhill, was one of the founders of Wesleyan University.

Kenyon College, Ohio, and Jubilee College,





Illinois, were founded by Bishop Philander Chase, born in Cornish.

Wellesley College was founded by Henry F. Durant, born in Hanover.

The first teachers' training school in the United States was established by Samuel R. Hall, born in Croydon.

The Boston Post was founded by Charles G. Green, born in Boscawen.

The Manhattan Beach and Long Island railroads were built by Austin Corbin, born in Newport.

The Freewill Baptist denomination was founded by Rev. Benjamin Randall, born in Newcastle.

Samuel Morey of Orford obtained a patent for the application of steam to locomotion in 1795. He built a steamboat and ran it in the Connecticut River in 1790. Fulton's boat made its first trip in 1807. The credit for the first steamboat belongs unquestionably to John Fitch, who built one in 1786, though it was a failure.

The fire-alarm telegraph system was invented by Moses G. Farmer, born in Boscawen, and he had electric lights in his house in Salem, Mass., as early as 1858, the first house ever so lighted.

The pneumatic tube and many improvements in the telegraph were invented by George B. Prescott, born in Kingston.



The first steam fire-engine was built by Nehemiah S. Bean, born in Gilmanton.

The meat packing industry and the Mt. Washington railroad were invented by Sylvester Marsh, born in Campton.

The rattan furniture industry was founded by Cyrus Wakefield, born in Roxbury. The name still survives in the present firm of the Heywood-Wakefield Co.

The Wood line of mowing, reaping, and other farming machines were invented and manufactured by Walter A. Wood, born in Mason.

Worcester's dictionary was compiled by Joseph E. Worcester, born in Bedford.

Daniel Webster, the greatest orator and statesman the country ever produced, was born in Salisbury.

Henry Wilson, born in Farmington, was Vice-President of the United States, 1873-1875, in President Grant's administration. His real name was Jeremiah Jones Colbath.

Horace Greeley, founder of the New York Tribune, was born in Amherst.

Charles A. Dana, editor of the New York Sun, was born in Hinsdale.

Horace White, editor of the New York Tribune and the New York Evening Post, was born in Colebrook.

Charles R. Miller, editor of the New York Times, was born in Hanover.





The Washington Post was founded by Stilson Hutchins, born in Whitefield.

The first newspaper in Chicago, the Democrat, was founded and edited by John Wentworth, born in Sandwich.

Daniel H. Craig, born in Rumney, was one of the pioneers in obtaining foreign news for early publication in American newspapers, using carrier pigeons from ship to shore and between Halifax and Boston. He was president of the Associated Press from 1861 to 1866.

Thaddeus S. C. Lowe, aeronaut, was born in Jefferson. He made his earliest ascents about 1858, and attained an altitude of 23,000 feet in the old-time balloon. He was the first to send telegraphic messages from a balloon to the ground.

Charles F. Hall, the Arctic explorer, was born in Rochester.

Alphonso Wood, botanist, author of many botanical text-books, was born in Chesterfield.

Salmon P. Chase, Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court, was born in Cornish.

Sir George Perley, High Commissioner for Canada during the World War, was born in Lebanon.

Carroll D. Wright, greatest statistician of his time, was born in Dunbarton.

Benjamin F. Keith, founder and proprietor of



the Keith line of theaters, was born in Hillsborough.

Samuel F. B. Morse, inventor of the telegraph, married a Concord woman, Lucretia Walker, and lived there for some time painting portraits for a living at \$15.00 each.

Admiral George Dewey's wife was the daughter of Gov. Ichabod Goodwin of Portsmouth.

Brooklyn Institute was founded by Frank W. Hooper, born in Walpole.

The famous western express company, Wells, Fargo & Co., was founded by Henry Wells, born in New Hampshire.

The Lick and Yerkes telescopes, greatest of their time, were built by Warner & Swasey. Ambrose Swasey was born in Exeter.

The famous trotting horse "Maud S" was owned by George N. Stone, born in Stark.

The Fifth Avenue Hotel in New York was founded by Hiram Hitchcock, born in Claremont.

Barbed wire was invented by Joseph F. Glidden, born in Charlestown.

Cement pipe was first made by Nathan W. Stowell, born in Claremont.

Rubber boots were first made by George E. P. Dodge, born in Barrington, of the firm of Phelps & Dodge.

In the Civil War the Fifth New Hampshire







Volunteers lost more men killed in battle than any other infantry regiment in the Union armies.

MacArthur E. Eastman, born in Gilmanton, planned the direct ocean cable laid in 1874, and introduced the patent spinning-jenny into England.

James Wilson, born in Londonderry, made the first terrestrial globes in America.

Laura Bridgman, born in Hanover, deaf, dumb, and blind, attained an education and culture second only to that of Helen Keller.

Mary Baker Eddy, founder of Christian Science, was born in Bow.

Phineas P. Quimby, mental scientist, from whom some claim that Mrs. Eddy derived the theory of Christian Science, was born in Lebanon.

Jacob Osgood, born in Warner, was the founder of the Osgoodites, a fantastic religious sect of short duration.

New Hampshire had four famous criminals who were unwise enough to write and publish the histories of their lives and evil doings, Stephen Burroughs of Hanover, of whose book many editions have been printed, the first in 1798, Henry Tufts, born in Newmarket, Seth Wyman, and Langdon W. Moore, born in Washington, counterfeiter, thief, and international bank burglar.



Edward E. Cross, born in Lancaster, Colonel of the Fifth New Hampshire Volunteers in the Civil War, took the first steam engine and the first printing press across the Rocky Mountains.

Edgar A. Kimball, born in Pembroke, was the first man to scale the walls of Chapultepec in the Mexican War, and to receive the surrender of the city.

George W. M. Nutt, "Commodore Nutt," famous dwarf, 43 inches in height, was born in Manchester.

John S. Sandborn, born in Gilmanton, was a member of the dominion senate of Canada from 1867 to 1873.

Commander Albert C. Read, U. S. N., born in Lyme, in command of the NC4, made the first aircraft flight across the Atlantic Ocean.

James J. Walworth, born in Canaan, inventor and manufacturer of heating apparatus, equipped the White House with its first hot water heating system in 1853.

The city of Portsmouth, Ohio, was founded by Josiah Shackford, born in Portsmouth. He named the new settlement from his birthplace.

Ironton, Ohio, was founded by James O. Willard, born in Charlestown.

The city of Lawrence, Mass., was founded by Daniel Saunders, born in Salem.

The city of Lowell, Mass., was founded by Nathan Appleton, born in New Ipswich, and he





introduced the first power loom in the United States at Waltham, Mass.

And it was Gen. John A. Dix, born in Boscawen, first president of the Union Pacific Railroad, who, while Secretary of the Treasury, issued that immortal order "If any man attempts to haul down the American flag, shoot him on the spot."

## CANDIDATES FOR THE PRESIDENCY OF THE UNITED STATES

Lewis Cass, born in Exeter, nominated by the Democratic party in 1848.

John P. Hale, born in Dover, nominated by the National Liberty party in 1847, and by the Free Soil party in 1852.

Franklin Pierce, born in Hillsborough, nominated by the Democratic party in 1852, and elected.

Horace Greeley, born in Amherst, nominated by the Liberal Republican party in 1871.

Benjamin F. Butler, born in Deerfield, nominated by the Greenback party in 1884.

## CABINET OFFICERS

Amos T. Akerman, born in Portsmouth, Attorney-General in President Grant's cabinet.

Lewis Cass, born in Exeter, Secretary of War



in President Jackson's cabinet, and Secretary of State in President Buchanan's cabinet.

William E. Chandler, born in Concord, Secretary of the Navy in President Arthur's cabinet.

Zachariah Chandler, born in Bedford, Secretary of the Interior in President Grant's cabinet.

Salmon P. Chase, born in Cornish, Secretary of the Treasury in President Lincoln's cabinet.

Nathan Clifford, born in Rumney, Attorney-General in President Polk's cabinet.

Henry Dearborn, born in North Hampton, Secretary of War in President Jefferson's cabinet.

John A. Dix, born in Boscawen, Secretary of the Treasury in President Buchanan's cabinet.

William P. Fessenden, born in Boscawen, Secretary of the Treasury in President Lincoln's cabinet.

Marshall Jewell, born in Winchester, Postmaster-General in President Grant's cabinet.

Daniel Webster, born in Salisbury, Secretary of State in Presidents Harrison's, Tyler's, and Fillmore's cabinets.

Levi Woodbury, born in Francestown, Secretary of the Navy in President Jackson's, and Secretary of the Treasury in Presidents Jackson's and Van Buren's cabinets.

John W. Weeks, born in Lancaster, Secretary of War in Presidents Harding's and Coolidge's cabinets.







## GOVERNORS

*Arkansas* — James Miller, 1819-1825, born in Peterborough.

*California* — Clement C. Young, 1927-1930, born in Lisbon.

*Connecticut* — Marshall Jewell, 1869, 1871, 1872, born in Winchester.

*Dakota Territory* — Nehemiah G. Ordway, 1880-1884, born in Warner.

*Florida* — George F. Drew, 1877-1880, born in Alton.

*Illinois* — Augustus C. French, 1846-1853, born in Hill.

*Iowa* — James W. Grimes, 1854-1858, born in Deering.

*Louisiana* — Benjamin F. Flanders, 1867, born in Bristol.

*Maine* — Jonathan G. Hunton, 1830, born in Unity; Samuel E. Smith, 1831-1833, born in



Hollis; Edward Kent, 1838-1840, born in Concord; Samuel Wells, 1856, born in Durham; Harris M. Plaisted, 1881-1882, born in Jefferson.

*Massachusetts* — Benjamin F. Butler, 1882, born in Deerfield; John Q. A. Brackett, 1889, born in Bradford; Channing H. Cox, 1921-1924, born in Manchester.

*Michigan* — John S. Barry, 1842-1846, born in Amherst; Lewis Cass, 1813-1831, born in Exeter.

*Minnesota* — John S. Pillsbury, 1875-1881, born in Sutton; David M. Clough, 1895-1899, born in Lyme.

*New Hampshire* — Nahum J. Bachelder, 1903-1905, born in Andover; William Badger, 1834-1836, born in Gilmanton; Nathaniel B. Baker, 1854-1855, born in Hillsborough; John H. Bartlett, 1919-1921, born in Sunapee; Charles H. Bell, 1881-1883, born in Chester; John Bell, 1828-1829, born in Londonderry; Samuel Bell, 1819-1823, born in Londonderry; Albert O. Brown, 1921-1923, born in Northwood; Fred H. Brown, 1923-1925, born in Ossipee; Charles A. Busiel, 1895-1897, born in Meredith; Person C. Cheney, 1875-1877, born in Holderness; Anthony Colby, 1846-1847, born





in New London; Moody Currier, 1885-1887, born in Boscawen; Samuel Dinsmoor, 1831-1834, born in Windham; Samuel Dinsmoor, 1849-1852, born in Keene; Samuel D. Felker, 1913-1915, born in Rochester; Charles M. Floyd, 1907-1909, born in Derry; John Taylor Gilman, 1794-1805, 1813-1816, born in Exeter; David H. Goodell, 1889-1891, born in Hillsborough; Walter Harriman, 1867-1869, born in Warner; Matthew Harvey, 1830-1831, born in Sutton; Natt Head, 1879-1881, born in Hooksett; Henry Hubbard, 1842-1844, born in Charlestown; Chester B. Jordan, 1901-1903, born in Colebrook; John Langdon, 1805-1809, 1810-1812, born in Portsmouth; Noah Martin, 1852-1854, born in Epsom; Ralph Metcalf, 1855-1857, born in Charlestown; David L. Morrill, 1824-1827, born in Epping; John Page, 1839-1842, born in Haverhill; Benjamin F. Prescott, 1877-1879, born in Epping; George A. Ramsdell, 1897-1899, born in Milford; Frank W. Rollins, 1899-1901, born in Concord; Jeremiah Smith, 1809-1810, born in Peterborough; Frederick Smyth, 1865-1867, born in Candia; Ezekiel A. Straw, 1872-1874, born in Salisbury; John Sullivan, President, 1786-1788, 1789-1790, born in Somersworth; Hiram A. Tuttle, 1891-1893, born in Barnstead; Meshech Weare, President of the Council, 1776-1784, President, 1784-1785, born in Hampton Falls; Benning Wentworth, 1741-



1766, born in Portsmouth; John Wentworth, Lieutenant Governor, 1717-1741, born in Portsmouth; John Wentworth, 1766-1775, born in Portsmouth; James A. Weston, 1871-1872, 1874-1875, born in Manchester; Levi Woodbury, 1823-1824, born in Francestown.

*New York* — John A. Dix, 1872, born in Boscawen.

*Nova Scotia* — Sir John Wentworth, 1792-1808, born in Portsmouth.

*Ohio* — Salmon P. Chase, 1855, born in Cornish.

*Philippine Islands* — Leonard Wood, 1921-1926, born in Winchester.

*Vermont* — Samuel E. Pingree, 1884-1886, born in Salisbury; Levi K. Fuller, 1892, born in Westmoreland; Urban A. Woodbury, 1894, born in Acworth.

*Wyoming* — DeForest Richards, 1899-1903, born in Charlestown.





## NATIVES OF NEW HAMPSHIRE IN THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES

(States from which they were elected, birthplace in  
parentheses, and dates of service)

### ARIZONA

*House of Representatives.* Curtis C. Bean  
(Tamworth) 1885-87.

### ILLINOIS

*House of Representatives.* George E. Adams  
(Keene) 1883-91; Thomas Gallagher (Con-  
cord) 1909-21; Richard S. Molony (Northfield)  
1851-53; Jonathan S. Rowell (Haverhill) 1883-  
91; Robert Smith (Peterborough) 1843-49,  
1857-59; Bradford N. Stevens (Boscawen)  
1871-73; John Wentworth (Sandwich) 1843-  
51, 1853-55; Timothy R. Young (Dover)  
1849-51.

### IOWA

*Senate.* James W. Grimes (Deering) 1859-69.

### LOUISIANA

*House of Representatives.* Benjamin F.  
Flanders (Bristol) 1862-63; Eleazer W. Ripley  
(Hanover) 1835-39; George L. Smith (Hills-  
borough County) 1873-75.



## MAINE

*Senate.* John Chandler (Epping) 1820-29; William P. Fessenden (Boscawen) 1854-64.

*House of Representatives.* William Burleigh (Northwood) 1823-27; Jonathan Cilley (Nottingham) 1837-38; Nathan Clifford (Rumney) 1839-43; William P. Fessenden (Boscawen) 1841-43; Ezra F. French (Landaff) 1859-61; Charles J. Gilman (Exeter) 1857-59; Louis B. Goodall (Winchester) 1917-21; Robert Goodenow (Henniker) 1851-53; Rufus K. Goodenow (Henniker) 1849-51; Moses Mason, Jr. (Dublin) 1833-37; John J. Perry (Portsmouth) 1855-57, 1859-61; Harris M. Plaisted (Jefferson) 1875-77; James W. Ripley (Hanover) 1826-30; Francis O. J. Smith (Brentwood) 1833-39; Daniel E. Sornes (Meredith) 1859-61.

## MASSACHUSETTS

*Senate.* Daniel Webster (Salisbury) 1827-41; John W. Weeks (Lancaster) 1913-19; Henry Wilson (Farmington) 1855-73.

*House of Representatives.* Nathan Appleton (New Ipswich) 1831-33, 1842; Goldsmith F. Bailey (Westmoreland) 1861-62; Benjamin F. Butler (Deerfield) 1867-75, 1877-79; John Chandler (Epping) 1805-09; Samuel S. Conner (Exeter) 1815-17; William S. Damrell (Portsmouth) 1855-59; Henry Dearborn (North





Hampton) 1793-97; Henry A. S. Dearborn (Exeter) 1831-33; Rufus S. Frost (Marlborough) 1875-76; Robert M. Leach (Franklin) 1924-25; Edward S. Livermore (Portsmouth) 1807-11; Henry B. Lovering (Portsmouth) 1883-87; Richard Olney (Milton) 1915-21; Benjamin Orr (Bedford) 1817-19; Samuel L. Powers (Cornish) 1901-05; Lorenzo Sabine (Lisbon) 1852-53; Samuel Taggart (Londonderry) 1803-17; Daniel Webster (Salisbury) 1823-27; John W. Weeks (Lancaster) 1905-13; Tappan Wentworth (Dover) 1853-55; John Wilson (Peterborough) 1813-15, 1817-19.

#### MICHIGAN

*Senate.* Lewis Cass (Exeter) 1845-48, 1849-57; Zachariah Chandler (Bedford) 1857-75, 1879.

*House of Representatives.* Charles C. Comstock (Sullivan) 1885-87; Byron M. Cutcheon (Pembroke) 1883-91; Oliver L. Spaulding (Jaffrey) 1881-83.

#### MISSOURI

*House of Representatives.* Samuel Locke (Mont Vernon) 1879-81; Edwin O. Stanard (Newport) 1873-75.

#### NEBRASKA

*House of Representatives.* Experience Estabrook (Lebanon) 1859-60.



## NEW HAMPSHIRE

*Senate.* Charles G. Atherton (Amherst) 1843-49; Charles H. Bell (Chester) 1879; James Bell (Francestown) 1855-57; Samuel Bell (Londonderry) 1823-35; Henry W. Blair (Campton) 1879-91; Henry E. Burnham (Dunbarton) 1901-13; William E. Chandler (Concord) 1887-1901; Joseph Cilley (Nottingham) 1846-47; Daniel Clark (Stratham) 1857-66; Charles Cutts (Portsmouth) 1810-13; Irving W. Drew (Colebrook) 1918; George G. Fogg (Meredith) 1866-67; Nicholas Gilman (Exeter) 1805-14; John P. Hale (Rochester) 1847-53, 1855-65; Henry F. Hollis (Concord) 1913-19; Henry Hubbard (Charlestown) 1835-41; Benning W. Jenness (Deerfield) 1845-46; John Langdon (Portsmouth) 1789-1801; Gilman Marston (Orford) 1889; David L. Morrill (Epping) 1817-23; Moses Norris, Jr. (Pittsfield) 1849-55; John Page (Haverhill) 1836-37; John F. Parrott (Portsmouth) 1819-25; James W. Patterson (Henniker) 1867-73; Franklin Pierce (Hillsborough) 1837-42; Austin F. Pike (Hebron) 1883-86; Edward H. Rollins (Somersworth) 1877-83; James Sheafe (Portsmouth) 1801-02; Bainbridge Wadleigh (Bradford) 1873-79; John S. Wells (Durham) 1855; Leonard Wilcox (Hanover) 1842-43; Levi Woodbury (Francestown) 1825-31, 1841-45.





*House of Representatives.* Charles G. Atherton (Amherst) 1837-43; Charles H. Atherton (Amherst) 1815-17; Henry M. Baker (Bow) 1893-97; David Barker, Jr. (Stratham) 1827-29; Ichabod Bartlett (Salisbury) 1823-29; Josiah Bartlett, Jr. (Kingston) 1811-13; Benning M. Bean (Moultonborough) 1833-37; Samuel N. Bell (Chester) 1871-73, 1875-77; Silas Betton (Londonderry) 1803-07; Henry W. Blair (Campton) 1875-79; Jonathan Blanchard (Nashua) 1783, 1784, 1787; Titus Brown (Alstead) 1825-29; Robert Burns (Hudson) 1833-37; Sherman E. Burroughs (Dunbarton) 1917-23; Josiah Butler (Pelham) 1817-23; Bradbury Cilley (Nottingham) 1813-17; Clifton Clagett (Portsmouth) 1817-21; Frank G. Clarke (Wilton) 1897-1901; Frank D. Currier (Canaan) 1901-13; Samuel Cushman (Portsmouth) 1835-39; Samuel Dinsmoor (Windham) 1811-13; Daniel M. Durell (Lee) 1807-09; Ira A. Eastman (Gilmanton) 1839-43; Nehemiah Eastman (Gilmanton) 1825-27; Thomas M. Edwards (Keene) 1859-63; Jacob H. Ela (Rochester) 1867-71; Evarts W. Farr (Littleton) 1879-80; James Farrington (Conway) 1837-39; Nathaniel Folsom (Exeter) 1774, 1775, 1777-80; George Frost (Newcastle) 1777-79; John Taylor Gilman (Exeter) 1782, 1783; Nicholas Gilman (Exeter) 1786-88, 1789-97; John P. Hale (Rochester) 1843-45; Salma Hale



(Alstead) 1817-19; William Hale (Portsmouth) 1809-11, 1813-17; Joshua G. Hall (Wakefield) 1879-83; John A. Harper (Manchester) 1811-13; Jonathan Harvey (Sutton) 1825-31; Matthew Harvey (Sutton) 1821-25; Nathaniel A. Haven (Portsmouth) 1809-11; Martin A. Haynes (Springfield) 1883-87; Henry Hubbard (Charlestown) 1829-35; Samuel Hunt (Charlestown) 1802-05; James H. Johnson (Bath) 1845-49; Frank Jones (Barrington) 1875-79; George W. Kittredge (Epping) 1853-55; John Langdon (Portsmouth) 1775-76; Woodbury Langdon (Portsmouth) 1779-80; Arthur Livermore (Londonderry) 1817-21, 1823-25; Pierse Long (Portsmouth) 1775; Daniel Marcy (Portsmouth) 1863-65; Gilman Marston (Orford) 1859-63, 1865-67; Orren C. Moore (New Hampton) 1889-91; Mace Moulton (Concord) 1845-47; Moses Norris, Jr. (Pittsfield) 1843-47; Alonzo Nute (Milton) 1889-91; Hosea W. Parker (Lempster) 1871-75; John F. Parrott (Portsmouth) 1817-19; James W. Patterson (Henniker) 1863-67; Charles H. Peaslee (Gilmanton) 1847-53; Joseph Peirce (Portsmouth) 1801-02; Jared Perkins (Unity) 1851-53; Franklin Pierce (Hillsborough) 1833-37; Austin F. Pike (Hebron) 1873-75; William Plumer, Jr. (Epping) 1819-25; John R. Reding (Portsmouth) 1841-45; Eugene E. Reed (Manchester) 1913-15; William N. Rogers (Wakefield) 1923-







25; Edward H. Rollins (Somersworth) 1861-67; Tristram Shaw (Hampton) 1839-43; James Sheafe (Portsmouth) 1799-1801; John S. Sherburne (Portsmouth) 1793-97; Jedediah K. Smith (Amherst) 1807-09; Jeremiah Smith (Peterborough) 1791-97; Samuel Smith (Peterborough) 1813-15; Aaron F. Stevens (London-derry) 1867-71; George Sullivan (Durham) 1811-13; John Sullivan (Somersworth) 1774-75, 1780-81; Cyrus A. Sulloway (Grafton) 1895-1913, 1915-17; Mason W. Tappan (Newport) 1855-61; Nathaniel Upham (Deerfield) 1817-23; Edward H. Wason (New Boston) 1915-30; Daniel Webster (Salisbury) 1813-17; John W. Weeks (Greenland) 1829-33; John Wentworth, Jr. (Somersworth) 1778-79; Thomas Whipple, Jr. (Lebanon) 1821-29; James Wilson (Peterborough) 1809-11; James Wilson, Jr. (Peterborough) 1847-50.

#### NEW JERSEY

*Senate.* Rufus Blodgett (Dorchester) 1887-93; Frank O. Briggs (Concord) 1907-13.

#### NEW YORK

*House of Representatives.* Henry Ashley (Winchester) 1825-27; William Babcock (Hinsdale) 1831-33; Francis B. Brewer (Keene) 1883-85; Henry G. Burleigh (Canaan) 1883-87; Martin Butterfield (Westmoreland) 1859-61;



Davis Carpenter (Walpole) 1853-55; Clark B. Cochran (New Boston) 1857-61; Noah Davis (Haverhill) 1869-70; John Dickson (Keene) 1831-35; John Fisher (Londonderry) 1869-71; Jonathan Fisk (Amherst) 1809-11; Horace Greeley (Amherst) 1848-49; William M. Oliver (Londonderry) 1841-43; George W. Patterson (Londonderry) 1877-79; William Patterson (Londonderry) 1837-38; Gershom Powers (Croydon) 1829-31; Edward C. Reed (Fitzwilliam) 1831-33; George A. Simmons (Lyme) 1853-57; Charles H. Turner (Wentworth) 1889-91; Charles C. B. Walker (Walpole) 1875-77; William A. Walker (Portsmouth) 1853-55; John O. Whitehouse (Rochester) 1873-77; Elias Whitmore (Pembroke) 1825-27; Walter A. Wood (Mason) 1879-83.

#### NORTH CAROLINA

*Senate.* Joseph C. Abbott (Concord) 1868-71.

*House of Representatives.* John R. French (Gilmanton) 1868-69; James W. Reid (Wentworth) 1885-86.

#### OHIO

*Senate.* Salmon P. Chase (Cornish) 1849-55, 1861.

*House of Representatives.* John M. Goode-now (Westmoreland) 1829-30; William Wilson (New Boston) 1823-27; Samuel T. Worcester (Hollis) 1861-63.





## OREGON

*House of Representatives.* Joseph G. Wilson  
(Acworth) 1873.

## PENNSYLVANIA

*House of Representatives.* Henry K. Porter  
(Concord) 1903-05.

## SOUTH DAKOTA

*Senate.* Alfred B. Kittredge (Nelson)  
1901-09.

*House of Representatives.* William H. Parker  
(Keene) 1907-08.

## VERMONT

*Senate.* Dudley Chase (Cornish) 1813-17,  
1825-31.

*House of Representatives.* William Henry  
(Charlestown) 1847-51; John Noyes (Atkin-  
son) 1815-17.

## VIRGINIA

*House of Representatives.* Harry Libbey  
(Wakefield) 1883-87.

## WASHINGTON

*House of Representatives.* Alvan Flanders  
(Hopkinton) 1867-69.

## WISCONSIN

*House of Representatives.* David Atwood  
(Bedford) 1870-71; George C. Hazelton (Ches-  
ter) 1877-83; Gerry W. Hazelton (Chester)  
1871-75.



## SOME NATIVES OF NEW HAMPSHIRE WHO HAVE ATTAINED DISTINCTION

(Birthplaces in parentheses, and notes of their respective  
fields of endeavor)

### Actors and Playwrights

Henry Clay Barnabee (Portsmouth).

Will M. Cressy (Bradford).

Dustin Farnum (Hampton).

Charles H. Hoyt (Charlestown).

### Artists

Joseph A. Ames (Roxbury), portrait painter.

Elizabeth G. Bouguereau (Exeter), painter,  
ideal figure pieces.

Alfred T. Bricher (Portsmouth), marine  
painter.

Benjamin Champney (New Ipswich), land-  
scape painter.

Ralph Adams Cram (Hampton Falls), archi-  
tect.

Matthew G. Emery (Pembroke), architect.

Margaret E. Foley (New Hampshire), sculp-  
tor.

Daniel Chester French (Exeter), sculptor.

Frank French (Loudon), wood engraver.

William M. R. French (Exeter), director of  
the Art Institute of Chicago.





Richard H. Fuller (Bradford), landscape painter.

Albert D. Gihon (Portsmouth), painter.

John W. Gregg (Weare), landscape architect.

Frank W. Grogan (Portsmouth), naval architect.

George H. Hall (Manchester), painter.

Albert G. Hoit (Sandwich), painter.

Alfred C. Howland (Walpole), painter.

Phoebe P. Jenks (Portsmouth), portrait painter.

Katherine Kimball (Fitzwilliam), etcher.

Larkin G. Mead (Chesterfield), sculptor.

Edward W. Nichols (Orford), landscape painter.

Aaron D. Shattuck (Francestown), painter.

Roswell M. Shurtleff (Rindge), painter.

John R. Tilton (Loudon), landscape painter.

### Authors

Thomas Bailey Aldrich (Portsmouth), poetry.

Christopher C. Andrews (Hillsborough), law and history.

John L. Blake (Northwood), text books.

Alice Brown (Hampton Falls), fiction.

Lewis A. Browne (Sandwich), fiction.

George W. Burnap (Merrimack), religion.

Warren Burton (Wilton).

Mary D. Chellis (Goshen), fiction.

Jesse Chickering (Dover), political economy.



James Freeman Clarke (Hanover), religion.

Charles Carleton Coffin (Boscawen), history,  
war correspondent.

Henry A. S. Dearborn (Exeter).

Robert Dinsmoor (Windham), poetry.

Francis S. Drake (Northwood), history.

Samuel G. Drake (Pittsfield), history.

Mary Wolcott Ellsworth (Exeter), children's  
books.

Harriet Farley (Claremont).

Thomas Green Fessenden (Walpole).

James T. Fields (Portsmouth).

Henry Flanders (Plainfield), law.

William P. Fogg (Exeter), travel.

Sam Walter Foss (Candia), poetry.

Adoniram J. Gordon (New Hampton), re-  
ligion.

Augustus A. Gould (New Ipswich), natural  
history.

Edwin M. Hale (Newport), medicine.

Salma Hale (Alstead), history.

Sarah J. Hale (Newport), poetry. "Mary Had  
a Little Lamb."

Grace W. Hinsdale (Hanover), poetry and  
religion.

Harriet McEwen Kimball (Portsmouth),  
poetry.

Richard B. Kimball (Plainfield), fiction,  
travel.

Thomas W. Knox (Pembroke), travel.





Abiel A. Livermore (Wilton), religion.

Martha Perry Lowe (Keene), poetry.

Orison S. Marden (Thornton).

Sarah T. Martyn (Hopkinton), fiction.

Joseph C. Neal (Greenland), humorist.

Edward O. Otis (Rye), medicine.

Joel Parker (Jaffrey), law, history.

Arthur L. Perry (Lyme), political economy.

Eleanor H. Porter (Littleton), fiction.

George B. Prescott (Kingston), electricity.

Edna Dean Proctor (Henniker), poetry.

Lucien B. Proctor (Hanover), law, biography.

Edward A. Rand (Portsmouth), fiction.

Annie D. Robinson (Plymouth), fiction.

"Marion Douglas."

Lorenzo Sabine (Lisbon), history.

Franklin B. Sanborn (Hampton Falls), biography, history.

Katharine A. Sanborn (Hanover), "Kate Sanborn."

Mary E. Sherwood (Keene), fiction, poetry.

Benjamin P. Shillaber (Portsmouth), humorist. "Mrs. Partington."

Henry A. Shute (Exeter), humorist.

Justin Harvey Smith (Boscawen), history.

Edward P. Tenney (Concord), religion.

Celia Thaxter (Portsmouth), poetry.

Thomas C. Upham (Deerfield), metaphysics.

George A. Wentworth (Wakefield), mathematical text books.



Eliza Orne White (Keene), fiction.

Carlos Wilcox (Newport), poetry.

Constance Fenimore Woolson (Claremont), fiction.

Joseph E. Worcester (Bedford), dictionary.

### Bankers

George T. Cram (Meredith), president Third National Bank, St. Louis, Mo.

Ned A. Flood (Newmarket), industrial banker, New York.

Francis O. French (Chester), Foote & French.

Harvey D. Gibson (Conway), president New York Trust Co.

Charles B. Hall (Orford), first president American Bankers Association.

Edward D. Holton (Lancaster), Milwaukee banker.

Ruel W. Poor (New London), president Garfield National Bank, Garfield Safe Deposit Co., New York.

Edward H. Rollins (Somersworth), founder of E. H. Rollins & Sons, Boston.

Edward W. Rollins (Concord), president E. H. Rollins & Sons, Boston.

Frank W. Rollins (Concord), president E. H. Rollins & Sons, Boston.

Frederick W. Rugg (Rindge), president Rockland National Bank, Boston.





James D. Smith (Exeter), president New York Stock Exchange.

Stephen H. Thayer (New Ipswich), Stout & Thayer, New York.

Roger W. Woodbury (Francestown), Denver banker.

John W. Weeks (Lancaster), Hornblower & Weeks, Boston.

### Business

Nathan Appleton (New Ipswich), founder of Lowell, Mass.; introduced first power loom in the United States at Waltham, Mass.

Samuel Appleton (New Ipswich), dry goods merchant, Boston, Mass.

Amos Barnes (Lebanon), hotel proprietor.

Samuel M. Bixby (Haverhill), manufacturer of shoe polish.

Noah F. Blanchard (Nashua), manufacturer of patent leather.

Harry G. Burleigh (Canaan), shipping, Great Lakes.

Levi Carter (New Hampton), founder of Carter White Lead Co.

Harvey S. Chase (Portsmouth), public accountant.

Benjamin P. Cheney (Hillsborough), founder of U. S. & Canada Express Co., Market National Bank, American Loan & Trust Co., Boston, treasurer Adams Express Co.



Jonas Chickering (New Ipswich), manufacturer of Chickering pianos.

Charles P. Clark (Nashua), president New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.

Austin Corbin (Newport), built Long Island railroads.

John A. Dix (Boscawen), first president Union Pacific Railroad.

George E. P. Dodge (Barrington), Phelps & Dodge, manufacturer of shoes; first to make rubber boots.

James Frank Drake (Pittsfield), president Standard Steel Car Co.

Benjamin F. Dutton (Hillsborough), merchant, Houghton & Dutton, Boston.

Jacob Estey (Hinsdale), manufacturer of Estey organs.

Samuel P. Farrington (Hopkinton), merchant, dry goods, Chicago, Minneapolis.

Edward B. Fellows (Salisbury), insurance, New York.

George C. Fisk (Hinsdale), manufacturer of cars, Hartford, Conn.

Albert H. Frost (Portsmouth), manufacturer of veneers.

Stephen F. Gale (Exeter), president Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad.

Jule M. Hannaford (Claremont), president Northern Pacific Railroad.





Hiram Hitchcock (Claremont), hotel proprietor, founder and proprietor Fifth Avenue Hotel, New York.

Fred A. Howland (Franconia), president National Life Insurance Co.

Robert Jackson (Dover), founder and president Dominion Stores.

James F. Joy (Durham), organizer and president Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad, president Michigan Central Railroad.

Benjamin A. Kimball (Boscawen), president Concord & Montreal Railroad.

William S. Kimball (Boscawen), manufacturer of tobacco, Rochester, N. Y., vice-president American Tobacco Co.

Lewis H. Kittredge (Harrisville), president Peerless Motor Car Co.

Woodbury Langdon (Portsmouth), commission merchant, New York.

Charles O. Livingston (Hopkinton), manufacturer of furniture, Florida.

Charles F. McClure (Raymond), Nova Scotia mines.

Henry McFarland (Concord), treasurer Union Pacific Railroad.

Benjamin L. Marsh (Chesterfield), merchant, Jordan, Marsh & Co., Boston.

Sherburn S. Merrill (Alexandria), general manager Chicago & Northwestern Railroad.



James E. Nichols (Meredith), merchant, Austin, Nichols & Co., New York.

Solon Palmer (Langdon), perfumer.

Charles A. Pillsbury (Warner), manufacturer of flour, Minneapolis.

Fred C. Pillsbury (Concord), manufacturer of flour, Minneapolis.

George A. Pillsbury (Sutton), manufacturer of flour, Minneapolis.

John S. Pillsbury (Sutton), manufacturer of flour, Minneapolis.

Henry K. Porter (Concord), manufacturer of locomotives, Pittsburgh, Penn.

George P. Richardson (Hillsborough), founder and president Richardson Silk Co., Chicago.

Charles W. Robie (New Hampton), vice-president American Express Co.

Edward H. Rollins (Somersworth), treasurer of Union Pacific Railroad.

John S. Runnells (Effingham), president Pullman Co.

Edward Sawyer (Dover), treasurer Great Northern Railroad.

Ralph L. Shainwald (Somersworth), founder of Standard Paint Co., makers of Ruberoid.

Augustus F. Shapleigh (Portsmouth), merchant, hardware, St. Louis, Mo.

John G. Shedd (Alstead), president Marshall Field & Co., Chicago.





Clapp Spooner (Fitzwilliam), organizer of Adams Express Co.

Edwin O. Stanard (Newport), manufacturer of flour, St. Louis, Mo.

George N. Stone (Stark), president Cincinnati Bell Telephone Co., owner of trotting horse "Maud S."

Ambrose Swasey (Exeter), maker of Lick and Yerkes telescopes.

Frank Taylor (Stoddard), president Taylor Instrument Companies, thermometers.

Dole Wadley (Brentwood), manufacturer of lumber, Georgia.

Moses Wadley (Brentwood), manufacturer of lumber, Georgia.

William M. Wadley (Brentwood), president Georgia Central Railroad.

David S. Waite (Keene), founder and president Bates St. Shirt Co.

Cyrus Wakefield (Roxbury), manufacturer of rattan furniture.

James J. Walworth (Canaan), president Walworth Manufacturing Co., heating apparatus.

Henry Wells (New Hampshire), founder of Wells, Fargo & Co., express, president American Express Co.

Marshall C. Wentworth (Jackson), hotel proprietor.

Joseph R. Whipple (New Boston), hotel proprietor.



James O. Willard (Charlestown), manufacturer of iron, founder of Ironton, Ohio.

### Clergy

Ezra E. Adams (Concord), founded Broad St. Church, Philadelphia.

Osmon C. Baker (Marlow), Methodist bishop.

Hosea Ballou (Richmond), Universalist.

Francis Brown (Hanover), president Union Theological Seminary.

Joseph S. Buckminster (Portsmouth).

George W. Burnap (Merrimack).

Thomas Carlton (Londonderry), financial agent and manager Methodist Book Concern.

John A. M. Chapman (Greenland).

Carlton Chase (Hopkinton), first Episcopal bishop of New Hampshire.

Philander Chase (Cornish), first Episcopal bishop of Ohio.

Laban Clark (Haverhill), one of the founders of Wesleyan University.

James Freeman Clarke (Hanover).

Franklin W. Fisk (Hopkinton), president Chicago Theological Seminary.

Adoniram J. Gordon (New Hampton).

William B. W. Howe (Claremont), Episcopal bishop of South Carolina.

Charles L. Hutchins (Concord), hymn writer.

Abiel A. Livermore (Wilton), president Meadville Theological Seminary.





Elias L. Magoon (Lebanon).

Thomas Marshall (Weare), missionary.

Alonzo A. Miner (Lempster).

Willis P. Odell (Laconia).

Samuel Parker (Portsmouth), Episcopal bishop of Massachusetts.

Edward Payson (Rindge).

Benjamin Randall (Newcastle), founder of Freewill Baptist denomination.

Nathaniel Thayer (Hampton).

Noah Worcester (Hollis), founder of Massachusetts Peace Society.

### Diplomatists

John T. Abbott (Antrim), minister to Colombia.

Christopher C. Andrews (Hillsborough), minister to Sweden and Norway, consul-general to Brazil.

George H. Bridgman (Keene), minister to Bolivia.

Lewis Cass (Exeter), minister to France.

Nathan Clifford (Rumney), minister to Mexico.

Henry Dearborn (North Hampton), minister to Portugal.

George G. Fogg (Meredith), minister to Switzerland.

John P. Hale (Rochester), minister to Spain.



Charles B. Haddock (Salisbury), minister to Portugal.

Marshall Jewell (Winchester), minister to Russia.

Tobias Lear (Portsmouth), consul-general to San Domingo, commissioner to negotiate peace with Tripoli.

Horatio J. Perry (Keene), secretary of legation at Madrid, 1849-55, 1861-69.

Edmund Q. Roberts (Portsmouth), first American diplomatist in Asia.

George Walker (Peterborough), consul-general at Paris.

### **Educators**

Myron W. Adams (Gilsum), president Atlanta University.

E. Benjamin Andrews (Hinsdale), president Brown University, University of Nebraska.

Jesse Appleton (New Ipswich), president Bowdoin College.

Cecil F. P. Bancroft (New Ipswich), principal Phillips Academy, Andover.

Samuel C. Bartlett (Salisbury), president Dartmouth College.

Mary T. Bean (New Hampshire), founder and principal Seminary for Girls, New York.

Francis Brown (Chester), president Dartmouth College.





Francis Brown (Hanover), president Union Theological Seminary.

John G. Brooks (Acworth), sociologist.

Philander Chase (Cornish), founder and first president Kenyon College.

Oren B. Cheney (Holderness), founder and first president Bates College.

Franceway R. Cossett (Claremont), president Cumberland College and University.

Jonathan P. Cushing (Rochester), president Hampden-Sidney College.

Carroll Cutler (Windham), president Western Reserve University.

Samuel C. Derby (Dublin), president Antioch College.

Henry F. Durant (Hanover), founder of Wellesley College.

John Eaton (Sutton), U. S. Commissioner of Education.

Leonard H. Eaton (Groton), principal Forbes School, Pittsburgh, Pa., thirty years.

Samuel M. Fellows (Sandwich), president Cornell College, Iowa.

Homer T. Fuller (Lempster), president Drury College.

Arthur W. Goodspeed (Hopkinton), physicist, professor University of Pennsylvania.

Aaron Gove (Hampton Falls), superintendent of schools, Denver, Col.



Horace M. Hale (Hollis), president University of Colorado.

Jeremiah Hall (Swanzey), president Denison University.

Samuel R. Hall (Croydon), founder of first normal school in United States.

Lorenzo D. Harvey (New Hampshire), superintendent of schools, Wisconsin.

Frank W. Hooper (Walpole), founder of Brooklyn Institute.

Ernest M. Hopkins (Dunbarton), president Dartmouth College.

Louis B. Hopkins (Hopkinton), president Wabash College.

Ada L. Howard (Temple), first president Wellesley College.

Charles S. Howe (Nashua), president Case School of Applied Science.

Joseph G. Hoyt (Dunbarton), first chancellor Washington University, St. Louis.

Harry B. Hutchins (Lisbon), president University of Michigan.

Benjamin Labaree (Charlestown), president Jackson College, Middlebury College.

Joseph McKeen (Londonderry), first president Bowdoin College.

Alonzo A. Miner (Lempster), president Tufts College.

Nathan J. Morrison (Sanbornton), first president Drury College.





Hiram Orcutt (Acworth), author, editor, lecturer.

Joel Parker (Jaffrey), professor of law, Harvard, 1847-75.

Mary Mills Patrick (Canterbury), president American College for Girls, Constantinople.

John B. Peaslee (Plaistow), superintendent of Schools, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Arthur L. Perry (Lyme), political economist, professor Williams College, 1853-91.

John D. Philbrick (Deerfield), U. S. Commissioner of Education, superintendent of schools, Boston, 1857-74.

John D. Pierce (Chesterfield), superintendent of public instruction, Michigan, founder of Michigan free school system.

Jeremiah E. Rankin (Thornton), president Howard University.

Thomas J. Shahan (Manchester), rector Catholic University of America.

Thomas Sherwin (Westmoreland), head master, English High School, Boston, thirty years.

James H. Smart (Center Harbor), president Purdue University.

Asa D. Smith (Amherst), president Dartmouth College.

Charles H. Spooner (Charlestown), president Norwich University.

Charles F. Stockwell (Lancaster), first principal Albion Wesleyan Seminary, Michigan.



John Swett (Pittsfield), superintendent of public instruction, California, superintendent of schools, San Francisco.

William Swett (Henniker), founder of New England Industrial School for Deaf Mutes.

Samuel H. Taylor (Londonderry), principal Phillips Academy, Andover, 1837-70.

Edward P. Tenney (Concord), president Colorado College.

John H. Twombly (Rochester), president University of Wisconsin.

Thomas C. Upham (Deerfield), metaphysicist, professor Bowdoin College 1825-67.

Edmund Q. S. Waldron (Dover), president Borromeo College, founder of Magdalen Home and St. Vincent's Asylum, Philadelphia.

Sylvester Waterhouse (Barrington), professor Washington University, St. Louis, 1857-98.

Charles L. White (Nashua), President Colby College.

George A. Wentworth (Wakefield), professor in Phillips Exeter Academy, 1859-91, author of mathematical text books.

Lettie L. M. Wilson (Littleton), superintendent of schools, Des Moines, Iowa.

Carroll D. Wright (Dunbarton), first president Clark University.

Henry P. Wright (Winchester), professor in Yale University, 1879-1909.





### Engineers

Thomas J. Cram (Acworth), military and topographical.

William H. Greenwood (Dublin), chief engineer Mexican National Railway.

John Johnson (Canterbury), superintendent of survey of northeastern boundary between United States and Canada.

Stephen H. Long (Hopkinton), bridges and railroads. Long's Peak is named in his honor.

Thaddeus S. C. Lowe (Jefferson), aeronautics, chief aeronautical engineer, U. S. Army.

Charles W. Merrill (Concord), metallurgy.

Charles Paine (Haverhill), chief engineer Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railroad.

George S. Rice (Claremont), mining.

George A. Ricker (Portsmouth), built Niagara Gorge Railroad.

Hiram N. Savage (Lancaster), civil.

Edward Sawyer (Warner), hydraulics.

Nathan W. Stowell (Claremont), irrigation, first to make cement pipe.

Daniel P. Woodbury (New London), military.

Frederick E. Woodbury (Nashua), mining.

### Inventors

Samuel Abbott (Wilton), process of making starch from potatoes.

Isaac Adams (Rochester), Adams printing press.



Luther Atwood (Bristol), chemical processes.

William Atwood (Bristol), chemical appliances.

John Bachelder (Weare), sewing machines.

Samuel Batchelder (Jaffrey), textile machinery.

Henry A. Baker (Newport), dentist's pneumatic mallet and other instruments.

James G. Benton (Lebanon), firearms.

Nathaniel A. Boynton (Mason), heating apparatus.

George D. Burton (Temple), electrical appliances, Burton stock car.

William R. Clough (Manchester), Gem paper clip, wire corkscrew.

John W. Cochran (Enfield), steam heating apparatus, firearms, machine for curvilinear sawing of wood.

Benjamin Dearborn (Portsmouth), spring scales, first to suggest employment of convict labor for profit.

MacArthur E. Eastman (Gilmanton), firearms, planned direct ocean cable laid in 1874, introduced patent spinning-jenny into England.

Moses G. Farmer (Boscawen), electrical devices.

Joseph F. Glidden (Charlestown), barbed wire.





George P. Gordon (Salem), Gordon printing press.

William P. Hunt (Bath), pneumatic gun carriage and disappearing guns, founder of South Boston Iron Works.

Increase Kimball (Concord), cut nails.

Thomas W. Knox (Pembroke), topographical telegraphy.

Frank D. Lambie (Tamworth), developed and introduced concrete houses.

Daniel L. Lamsen (Hopkinton), surgical appliances, double seam sewing machine, endless cutter mowing machines.

Hosea W. Libbey (Chichester), tricycles, bicycles, railroad equipment, first to use endless chain, sprocket wheel, and rubber tires.

John Locke (Lempster), electrical and magnetic instruments.

Thaddeus S. C. Lowe (Jefferson), ice making machine, machine for making water gas, incandescent water gas light.

Sylvester Marsh (Campton), Mt. Washington railroad, meat packing industry.

Charles W. Merrill (Concord), metallurgical apparatus.

John Nesmith (Londonderry), machines for making wire fence and shawl fringe.

Isaac Orr (Bedford), air-tight stove.

Robert P. Parrott (Lee), rifled cannon.



Charles G. Perkins (Weare), incandescent electric lighting devices.

George B. Prescott (Kingston), electrical devices.

Salmon W. Putnam (Hopkinton), machinery and machine tools.

Aaron D. Shattuck (Francestown), artist's stretcher frame with keys.

Nathan R. Smith (Concord), surgical appliances.

Edward Spaulding (Milford), elliptic spring, magnetic and electric telephone for deaf.

Ambrose Swasey (Exeter), scientific instruments, range finder.

Nathan B. Webster (Unity), meteorograph.

Walter A. Wood (Mason), agricultural machines.

Charles A. Young (Hanover), automatic spectroscope.

### Journalists

David Atwood (Bedford), founder of Wisconsin State Journal.

Jonas M. Bundy (Colebrook), editor of Mail and Express, New York.

Harry Chandler (Landaff), publisher of Los Angeles Times.

Charles Carleton Coffin (Boscawen), war correspondent.





Daniel H. Craig (Rumney), president of Associated Press.

Charles A. Dana (Hinsdale), editor of New York Tribune.

John H. Fahey (Manchester), editor and publisher of Boston Traveler.

Horace Greeley (Amherst), editor of New York Tribune.

Charles G. Greene (Boscawen), founder of Boston Post.

Nathaniel Greene (Boscawen), founder of Essex Gazette, Boston Statesman.

Stilson Hutchins (Whitefield), founder of Washington Post.

George W. Kendall (Amherst), founder of New Orleans Picayune.

Charles L. MacArthur (Claremont), editor of Troy, N. Y., papers.

George A. Marden (Mont Vernon), editor of Lowell Courier.

Frederick R. Martin (Stratford), general manager of Associated Press.

William B. Merrill (Salisbury), editor of Philadelphia Press and New York Press, general manager of Hearst newspapers.

Charles R. Miller (Hanover), editor of New York Times.

Herbert A. Smith (Dublin), editor of Boston Herald.



Morris H. Stevens (Charlestown), editor of Kansas City Journal.

John Wentworth (Sandwich), editor of the Democrat, first newspaper in Chicago.

Horace White (Colebrook), editor of New York Tribune, New York Evening Post.

### Lawyers and Jurists

George W. Anderson (Acworth), judge U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals.

John Appleton (New Ipswich), chief justice Supreme Court of Maine.

Benjamin F. Ayer (Kingston), general counsel Illinois Central Railroad.

Samuel D. Bell (Francestown), chief justice Supreme Court of New Hampshire.

Henry A. Bellows (Walpole), chief justice Supreme Court of New Hampshire.

Isaac N. Blodgett (Canaan), chief justice Supreme Court of New Hampshire.

Calvin L. Brown (Goshen), chief justice Supreme Court of Minnesota.

Frank H. Carleton (Newport), practice in Minneapolis.

Dudley Chase (Cornish), chief justice Supreme Court of Vermont.

Salmon P. Chase (Cornish), chief justice Supreme Court of the United States.

Lewis W. Clark (Barnstead), chief justice Supreme Court of New Hampshire.





Nathan Clifford (Rumney), justice of the Supreme Court of the United States.

Moses T. Clough (Hopkinton), practice in Albany, N. Y.

Noah Davis (Haverhill), justice of the Supreme Court of New York, tried Stokes for murder of Fisk, and William M. Tweed for corruption.

Edward H. Durell (Portsmouth), justice of the United States District Court, Louisiana.

Experience Estabrook (Lebanon), practice in Wisconsin, Nebraska.

William A. Fletcher (New Hampshire), chief justice Supreme Court of Michigan.

Addison Gardiner (Rindge), chief justice Court of Appeals, New York.

John M. Goodenow (Westmoreland), justice Supreme Court of Ohio.

Nathaniel Holmes (Peterborough), justice Supreme Court of Missouri, professor of law, Harvard.

Henry E. Howland (Walpole).

George Jaffrey (Newcastle), chief justice Supreme Court of New Hampshire.

Eben W. Kimball (Rindge), practice in Arkansas.

Christopher C. Langdell (New Boston), dean of Harvard Law School.

Arthur Livermore (Londonderry), chief jus-



tice Superior Court, justice Supreme Court of New Hampshire.

Thornton K. Lothrop (Dover).

Moody Merrill (Campton), practice in Boston.

Joel Parker (Jaffrey), chief justice Supreme Court of New Hampshire, professor of law, Harvard.

Frank N. Parsons (Dover), chief justice Supreme Court of New Hampshire.

Charles A. Peabody (Sandwich), chief justice Supreme Court of Louisiana.

Robert J. Peaslee (Weare), chief justice Supreme Court of New Hampshire.

John Pickering (Newington), chief justice Supreme Court of New Hampshire.

John L. Ränd (Portsmouth), chief justice Supreme Court of Oregon.

William M. Richardson (Pelham), chief justice Supreme Court of New Hampshire.

John W. Rowell (Lebanon), chief justice Supreme Court of Vermont.

Walter H. Sanborn (Epsom), justice U. S. Circuit Court, Minnesota.

Jonathan E. Sargent (New London), chief justice Supreme Court of New Hampshire.

Henry Sherburne (Portsmouth), chief justice Supreme Court of New Hampshire.

Jeremiah Smith (Peterborough), chief justice Supreme Court of New Hampshire.





Henry M. Spofford (Gilmanton), justice Supreme Court of Louisiana.

Harlan F. Stone (Chesterfield), justice Supreme Court of the United States.

Asa W. Tenney (Dalton), practice in New York.

Wheelock G. Veazey (Brentwood), practice in Vermont, Interstate Commerce Commissioner.

Sidney Webster (Gilmanton), practice in New York.

Sherman L. Whipple (New London), practice in Boston.

Levi Woodbury (Francetown), justice Supreme Court of the United States.

Andrew S. Woods (Bath), chief justice Supreme Court of New Hampshire.

### Librarians

Appleton P. C. Griffin (Wilton), assistant librarian of Congress, bibliographer.

Frank P. Hill (Concord), librarian Brooklyn Public Library.

George H. Moore (Concord), superintendent Lenox Library, New York.

James H. Senter (Portsmouth), assistant librarian Astor Library, New York.

Ainsworth R. Spofford (Gilmanton), librarian of Congress.



### Musicians

Amy M. Beach (Henniker), pianist and composer.

Simeon P. Cheney (Meredith), singer and composer.

Lyman Heath (Bow), song writer.

Jesse Hutchinson (Milford), with twelve brothers and sisters, "Hutchinson Family", singers, toured America and Europe 1841-60.

Walter Kittredge (Merrimack), song writer, "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground."

William S. B. Mathews (Loudon), musical text books, edited musical magazines.

Joseph P. Webster (Manchester), song writer.

### Naval Officers

Joseph G. Ayres (Canterbury), Rear-Admiral.

George E. Belknap (Newport), Rear-Admiral.

Tunis A. M. Craven (Portsmouth), Commander.

Walter S. Crosley (Jaffrey), Rear-Admiral.

Charles A. Gove (Concord), Rear-Admiral.

Charles L. Hussey (Rochester), Rear-Admiral.

Enoch G. Parrott (Portsmouth), Rear-Admiral.





George F. Pearson (New Hampshire), Rear-Admiral.

George H. Perkins (Hopkinton), Commodore.

George W. Storer (Portsmouth), Rear-Admiral.

George H. Wadleigh (Dover), Rear-Admiral.

John G. Walker (Hillsborough), Rear-Admiral.

Charles H. White (Sandwich), Rear-Admiral.

Robert H. Wyman (Portsmouth), Rear-Admiral.

### **Philanthropists**

Abiel Chandler (Concord), founder of Chandler School, Dartmouth College.

George E. P. Dodge (Bennington).

Henry F. Durant (Hanover), founder of Wellesley College.

Rufus S. Frost (Marlborough), founder of New England Conservatory of Music.

William Ladd (Exeter), founder of American Peace Society.

Ambrose Swasey (Exeter).

Edward Tuck (Exeter), founder of Tuck School, Dartmouth College, donor of New Hampshire Historical Society building.

Henry Winkley (Barrington).

### **Physicians and Surgeons**

John P. Batchelder (Wilton), first to remove head of femur.



Henry G. Brainerd (Londonderry), alienist, professor University of Southern California 1886-1911.

John M. Browne (Hinsdale), Surgeon-General, U. S. Navy.

Bukk G. Carleton (Whitefield).

David W. Cheever (Portsmouth), professor Harvard Medical School 1868-93.

Alpheus B. Crosby (Gilmanton), professor Dartmouth College 1862-77, and other colleges.

Dixi Crosby (Sandwich), professor Dartmouth College 1838-70.

Thomas R. Crosby (Gilmanton), professor National Medical College.

Henry M. Dearborn (Epsom), professor in many colleges, consulting physician New York hospitals.

John W. Elliot (Keene).

Joseph E. Janvrin (Exeter), practice in New York, author of medical books.

Gilman Kimball (Hill).

Reuben D. Mussey (Pelham), first to tie both carotid arteries successfully.

Edward O. Otis (Rye), pulmonary specialist.

Willard Parker (Hillsborough), professor College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York, 1839-90.

Edmund R. Peaslee (Newton), professor Dartmouth College 1841-71, performed first





ovariotomy in New England, author of medical books.

Jerome V. C. Smith (Conway).

Nathan R. Smith (Concord), professor of surgery University of Maryland 1840-70.

Lyman Spaulding (Cornish), originator of United States Pharmacopoeia.

Samuel Thomson (Alstead), founder of Thomsonian System of Medicine.

### **Publishers**

Fred H. Allen (Lyme), made first photo-gravure plate in America.

Edward P. Dutton (Keene), E. P. Dutton & Co.

James T. Fields (Portsmouth), Ticknor & Fields.

Charles D. Gould (New Ipswich), Gould, Kendall & Lincoln.

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### **Reformers**

Samuel E. Coues (Portsmouth), president American Peace Society.

Stephen S. Foster (Canterbury), abolitionist.

William Ladd (Exeter), founder of American Peace Society.



Nathaniel P. Rogers (Portsmouth), abolitionist.

John N. Stearns (New Ipswich), temperance.

### Scientists

Charles G. Abbot (Wilton), astrophysicist.

Glover M. Allen (Walpole), naturalist.

Luther Atwood (Bristol), chemist.

William Atwood (Bristol), chemist.

Solon I. Bailey (Lisbon), astronomer.

Harry E. Barnard (Dunbarton), chemist.

Joshua W. Beede (Raymond), geologist.

Henry G. Brainerd (Londonderry), neuropsychiatrist.

Martin Burton (Keene).

Elliott Coues (Portsmouth), natural history.

James Freeman Dana (Amherst), chemist, specialist in electro-magnetism.

Samuel L. Dana (Amherst), chemist.

John R. Eastman (Andover), astronomer.

Benjamin K. Emerson (Nashua), geologist.

John Evans (Portsmouth), geologist.

Moses G. Farmer (Boscawen), electrician.

Augustus A. Gould (New Ipswich), naturalist.

Horatio Hale (Newport), ethnologist.

Kenneth C. Heald (Bennington), geologist.

Ezekiel Jewett (Rindge), geologist.

Edward W. Nelson (Manchester), naturalist.

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### Soldiers

Christopher C. Andrews (Hillsborough),  
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George T. Bartlett (New Hampshire), Major-  
General, U. S. A.

Richard N. Batchelder (Meredith), Brigadier-  
General, Quartermaster-General, U. S. A.

Benjamin F. Butler (Deerfield), Major-Gen-  
eral, Civil War.

Lewis Cass (Exeter), Brigadier-General,  
U. S. A.

Joseph Cilley (Nottingham), Colonel in Rev-  
olutionary War.

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John G. Foster (Whitefield), brevet Major-  
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Samuel G. Griffin (Nelson), Brigadier-General and brevet Major-General, Civil War.

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Gilman Marston (Orford), Brigadier-General, Civil War.

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Robert Rogers (Londonderry), commander of Rogers's Rangers, colonial wars.

John B. Sanborn (Epsom), Brigadier-General, Civil War.

John Stark (Londonderry), Brigadier-General, Revolutionary War.

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